nation information in the State Department and of all correspondence between the department and other of a seasts of the United States abroad, and those of foreign poweristed to this government. In it all diplomatic instructions in the department, and communication at to commissioners un-

the diplomatic and consular.

Clerk of Pardons and Pasports—He prepares and records pardon
and remissions; and registers and files the potitions and papers or
which they are founded. Makes out and records passports; keeps a
duly register of all letters, other than diplomatic and consular, received, and of the disposition made of them; prepares letters relating

to United States in which the government is concerned.

It is supervision of all other suits arising in any of the departments when referred by the bead thereof to the Attorney General.

To those ordinary heads of the business of the office are added at so present time the following, viz:

First. The direction of all appeals on land claims in California.

Scoond. The collication and revision of the laws of the District of

STRESSON DEPARTMENT.

Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Hon. Jacob Thompson, of the State of Mississippi. Its clerical force consists of one chief clerk, (Mose Kelly, esq.,) two disbursing clerks, and ten other regular clerks, and to its supervision and management are committed the following branches of the public service:

1st. The Public Lends. The chief of this bureau is called the Commissioner of the General Land Office. The Land Bureau is chargest with the survey, management, and sale of the public domain, and the issuing of titles therefor, whether derived from confirmations of grants made by former government by sales of the public domain, and the issuing of titles therefor, whether derived from confirmations of grants or Virginia unitary bounds to propose the survey of the survey of the proposed commissioner is Hone. T.A. Hennifeths, of Indiana. Its principal officers are a recorder, chief clerk, principal clerk of surveys, busides a draughtsman, assisted draughtsman, and some 150 clerks of various grades.

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Petsions.—The present head of this bureau is George C.
19g, of Virginia. The commissioner is charged with the examinate all official commissioner is charged with the examinate all official commissioners of the virginial commission of the commission

from the State Department the duty of taking and returning the censuses of the United States, and of supervising and directing the acts of the Commissioner of Public Holidings. The hospital for the Insane of the army and navy and of the Detrict of Colombia is also under the management of this department; in addition to which, by laws recently passed, the Secretary of the Interior is charged with the construction of the three wages roads leading to the Pacific coast.

The department requires an additional building for its accommodation, and the erection of one has been repeatedly recommended during the last few years for that perpose. At present the Pension Office is provided with rooms in what is known as "Winder's Building," while the other branches of the department, including the Secretary's office, are all crowded into the Fatest Office building, the whole of which will be required at an early day for the use of the Fatent Office, for which it was originally intended.

ditors, treasurer, register, solicitor, light-house toway, and yey.

The following is a brief indication of the duties of these several offices, and of the force employed therein, respectively:

Secretary's Office.—Hon. Howell Cobb, Secretary of the Treasury; Hon. Philip Clayton, Assistant Secretary; one engineer in charge; one architect, and three draughtamen temporarily employed, and twenty-three clerks. The Secretary of the Treasury is charged with the general supervision of the flexal transactions of the government, and of the execution of the laws concerning the commerce and navigation of the Cutiest States. He superintends the survey of the const, the light-house establishment, the marine hospitals of the United States, and the construction of certain public buildings for custom houses and other purposes.

Picz Amblors Officz.—Thomas L. Smith, eq., First Auditor, and Mineton clerks. He receives and adjusts the accounts of the customs revenue and dishorsements, appropriations and expenditures on account of the civil list and under private acts of Congress, and reports the balances to the Commissioner of the Customs and the First Comptroller, respectively, for their decision thereon.

Second Auditor's Office.—Thomas J. D. Fuller, Second Auditor, and breuty one clerks. He receives and adjusts all accounts relating to the pay, clothing, and recruiting of the army, as well as armories, arconais, and ordinance, and all accounts relating to the Indian department, and reports the balances to the Second Comptroller for his decision thereon.

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Third Auditor's Office.—Robert J. Atkinson, esq., Third Auditor, and seventy-eight clerks. He receives and adjusts all accounts for substitution of the army fortifications, Military Academy, military roads, and the Quartermaster's department, as well as for positions, claims arising from military services previous to 1816, and for horses and other property lost in the military service, under various acts of Confress, and reports the balances to the Second Comptroller for his decision thereon.

was performed under the direction of the State Department, and reports the balances to the First Comptroller for his decision thereon.

Sinh Anditor's Office.—William F. Phillips, esq., auditor of the Treasury for the Post Office Department, and one hindred and fourteen clerks. He receives and adjusts all accounts arising from the service of the Post Office Department. His decisions are final, unless an appeal he taken in twelve months to the First Comptroller. He superintends the collection of all debts due the Post Office Department, and all penalties and forfeitores imposed on postmasters and mail contractors for failing to de their duty; the directs suits and legal proceedings, tivil and criminal, and takes all such measures as may be an interest in the successive results and early in the condition and progress of such anits and legal proceedings; has charge of all lands and other property and legal proceedings; has charge of all lands and other property and the United States courts of the condition and progress of such anits and legal proceedings; has charge of all lands and other property and the United States courts of the condition and progress of such anits and legal proceedings; has charge of all lands and other property and the United States courts of the condition and progress of such anits and legal proceedings; has charge of all lands and other property and the United States courts of the condition and progress of such anits and legal proceedings; has charge of all lands and other property and the United States courts of the condition and progress of such anits and legal proceedings; has charge of all lands and other property and the United States courts of the condition and progress of such anits and legal proceedings; has charge of all lands and other property.

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Appointment Office.—Invario King, eag., First Assistant Postmaster Jeneral, and nineteen clerks. To this office are assigned all questions which relate to the establishment and discontinuance of post offices, hanges of sites and names, appointment and removal of postmasters and route and local agents, as, also, the giving of instructions to postmasters. Postmasters are furnished with marking and rating stamps and lotter balances by this bireau, which is charged also with preveiling blanks and stationery for the use of the department, and with the superintendence of the neveral agencies established for supplying sostmasters with blanks. To this bireau is likewise assigned the superintendence of the neveral agencies established for supplying sostmasters with blanks. To this bireau is likewise assigned the superintendence of the open mail assessables lines, and of the foreign and in

is assertive a town of mail depredation, seed, or other yellottions of the first of of the force employed therein:

Secretary & Office.—Hon. Issac Toucey, Secretary of the Navy; Charles

W. Welsh, edg., chief clerk, and cleven clerks. The Secretary of the

Navy has charge of everything connected with the naval establishment, and the execution of all laws relating thereto is intrusted to him,
under the general direction of the President of the United States, who,
by the constitution, is commanders in-chief of the army and navy.

All instructions to commanders of equatrous and commanders of
vessels, all orders of officers, commissions of efficers both in the

navy and marine corps, appointment of commissioned and warrant
officers, orders for the enlistment and discharge of seamen, emanate
from the Secretary's office. All the duties of the different bureaus are
performed under the authority of the Secretary, and their orders are
considered as emanating from him. The general superintendence of
the marine corps forms, also, a part of the duties of the Secretary, and
all the orders of the commandant of that corps should be approved by
him.

Bureau of Navy Paris and Docks.—Commodore Joseph Smith, chief of the bureau, four cierks, one civil engineer, and one draughteman. All the navy-yards, docks and wharves, buildings and machinery in navy-yards, and everything immediately connected with them, are under the superintendence of this bureau. It is also charged with the management of the Naval Asylum.

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Bureau of Construction, Equipment, and Repair — John Leuthall, eag., cliff of the bureau, clight clerks, and one draughtenan. The office of the engineer-in-chief of the navy, Daniel B. Martin, eag., is attached to this bureau, who is assisted by three assistant engineers. This bureau has charge of the building and repairs of all vessels of war, purchase of materials, and the providing of all vessels with their equipments, as sails, anchors, water lanks, &c. The engineer-in-chief super-in-builds the construction of all marine steam engines for the navy, and, with the approval of the Secretary, decides upon plans for their construction.

Bureau of Previolens and Clothing.—H. Bridge, purser United States navy, chief of bureau, and four clerks. All provisions for the use of the navy, and clothing, together with the making of contracts for fur hishing the same, come under the charge of this bureau.

Bureau of Melicine and Surgery.—Br. William Whelan, surgeon United States may, chief of bureau; one passed assistant surgeon United States mays, and two clerks: Everything relating to medicines and medical stores, treatment of sick and wounded, and management of hospitale, comes within the superintendence of this bureau.

Knginer Office.—General Joseph G. Totten, chief engineer; a) optain H. G. Wright; five clerks and one messenger.

Researchical Bureau.—Cot. J. J. Abert, colonel of the corps; as stant, Captain J. C. Woodruff; four clerks and one messenger.

Post Office Department. April 20, 1857.

The undersigned, residing at ..., undertake that, if the foregoing had for carrying the mail on the routs from ..., on the Massissippi river, to San Francisco, California, be accepted by the Postmaster General, the tidder shall, when required by the Postmaster General, enter into the necessary obligation to perform the service proposed, with good and sufficient survives. This we do, understanding distinctly the obligation and liabilities, assumed by guaranteers, under the 27th section of the act of Congress of July 2, 1836.

Dated

this day admitted as partners in the Banking House of Chubb Brothers. The firm from this date will be composed of Chass 8. J. Chubb, John D Barrow, and Henry Holmes. The House in Bavenport, Iowa, is composed of Charles St. J. Chubb, Wm. H. Dougal, and Alexander H. Barrow, under the firm of Chubb Brothers, Barrow, & Co.

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ST. JOSEPH'S ACADEMY FOR YOUNG LADIES, near Emmittaburg, Frederick county, Maryland.—The annual session of studies at this institution commences on the 24th August, and tuttion are \$150 per annum, payable semi-annually in advance. There are extra charges for mucle, drawing, puinting, and also for figurity, fallan, German, and Latin. The terms for the primary department, composed of pupils under sing years of ago, are \$100 per annum, payable half-yeartly in advance.

Letters of inquiry should be addressed to the MOTHER SUPE-RIGHT of S. Joseph's Academy, Emmittaburg, Frederick county, Maryland,

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James M. West, In charge Washington city effect,
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ASSISTANT SECRETARY,

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523,057 of The business of this company will compare favorably with the most successful of similar institutions in the United States.

From the 1st day of August, 1855, in affecen months, up to the 1st day of November, 1856, the premiums and interests received amounted to the large sum of four hundred thousand one hundred and elghty-five dollars and sixty-edipt cents, with the payment of issees and expenses of one hundred and seventy-seven thousand one hundred and twenty-eight dollars and sixty-one cent of the hundred and twenty-eight dollars and sixty-one cent of the second hundred and transfer of the second second of the s

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NOTICE TO ROAD CONTRACTORS.—It being the intention of the board of directors of the Washington and lockytille Turnpike Company to gravel the road from the first toil gate to its terminus at the fistric line, contractors are requested to address or apply to the undersigned on the subject on or before the 15th of April next.

No 30 Louisians avenue.

J. C. LEWIS.

Feb 24—Stawif

Washington Branch Railroad.

TRAINS leave Washington for Baltimore—
At 6 and 8½, a. m., and 3 and 4½, p. m.
Leave Baltimore for Washington—
At 4½ and 9½, a. m., and 3 and 5½, p. m.
On Sunday at 4½, a. m.
Passengers for Fulladelphia and New York will take trains at 6, 8½, and 4½.
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4 Washington Junction.

Jan 17—dtf
T. H. PARSONS, Agent.

H. GILLET, Counsellor at Law, has removed thirteenth streets. He will continue to devote his attention principally to cases in the United States Supreme Court.

Having devoted much time to the law concerning patents, he will give advice and opinions on legal questions arising in cases before the Patent Office, and on appeals to the chief justices of assistant justices of the Instructor of Columbia; and will also assist in the preparation and trial of suits congerning ratents.

Transfer Decarrance, May 4, 1867.

CEALED PROPOSALS for furnishing the stationary required by this department during the facal year ending June 50, 1858, will be received until 12 o'clock, in, co the 30th day of June next. These unaccompanied by sallstatory testimonists of ability to fulfit the contract will not be considered, and contracts will only be awarded to established manufacturers of or dealers in the

tem 1. 100 reams folio post, satin finish, faint-lined, and trimmed, of the very best quality
2. 150 reams white-cap paper hand-made, satin finish, faint-lined, and trimmed, of the very best quality
3 50 reams white-cap paper, hand-made, satin finished, of

made, faint-lined, and trimmet, of the very best
quality
500 reams quarte post, hand-made, white, highly glazed,
and hard calendered, faint-lined on three sides, and
of the very best quality
100 reams quarte post, machine-made, white, plain, faintlined on three sides, of the best quality
20 reams quarte post, hand-made, white, highly glazed,
and hard calendered, faint-lined four sides, and of the
very best quality
20 reams quarte post, French, faint-lined three sides, of
the very best quality
50 reams white vellum-note paper, highly glazed, hard
calendered, faint-lined, gilt-edged on three sides,
of the very best quality
50 reams white laid note paper, gilt-edged, highly glazed,
and hard calendered, of the very best quality
30 reams heavy hand-made white medium paper, for
books, of the very best quality
20 reams heavy hand-made white super-royal paper, for
books, of the very best quality
100 reams copying paper of the very best quality, color,
and style
50 reams heavy bighly-glazed, and hard-calendered en-

gold pens of the best kind and quality manufactured

10 dozen gold pens in silver cases, with ever-pointed pen-cils of the best kind and quality manufactured

300 dozen cards Perry's best metallic pens, price to be per

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5. 50 dozen platins pens

7. 50 dozen altista pens

8. 20 m quills of the very best quality

9. 20 dozen bronze imitation quill pens.

For all the items of class 3, except item 3, in the above class, the sidder is not restricted to a particular manufacture, but samples of inferent makers, with the price of each, may be submitted, and the lepartment will select which it deems the best, the price, quality, and theses for the service being all considered.

CLASS No. 4 .- Pencils

 20 dozen ivory propelling pencils, of Mears, or others of like quality, with box of lead for each.
 One dozen of each kind of class 4 must be submitted as samples. Class 5 .- Ink, Ink Stands, and Wafers.

20 gallons best lak, the department to have the choice the market.
 300 quart bottles of the best copying ink, sample bottle to be submitted, of the best quality made.
 300 quart bottles of the best black ink.
 5 gallons best red ink, the department to have the choice of the method.

5. gallons best red ink, the department to never of the market
 5. gallons best bine ink, sample to be submitted
 5. 100 bottles best bine ink, French, small size, in glass bottles, sample ink, French, small size, in glass bottles, six galaxy stoppers
 10. 1,000 large red wafers for department seal
 11. 100 pounds wafers, common size, best quality, red.
 12. 100 pounds best extra superime scarlet sealing wax.

For all the articles in class 5 suitable and convenient samples must be submitted, with price statched to each.

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CLAM 6.—Cullery and Micellaneous Articles.

20 dozen Rodgern's & Sons, genuine or squal, spring erasers with ivery handles

60 dozen Rodgern's & Sons, genuine or equal, four-bladed knives, with stag and pear! handles

12 dozen ivery-handled wafer stamps

6 dozen large office shears of the very beat quality

100 spools of the best quality of red linen tape

100 dozen of the best quality of red linen tape

100 dozen silk tape of associated colors, in hanks

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BURNETT HOUSE, southeast corner Pennsylva-nia avenue and Four-and-a-Hair street, Washington, B. C., Mrs. ISLAS HEYNOLTS, proprietress.

Bearders by the day, week, or mouth.
Several large and comfortable rooms suitable for families. Perma-nent and transient beariers comfortably accommodated; and meals furnished to those who room elsewhere.

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Brilliant Schemes for June, 1857. GREGORY & MAURY, MANAGERS,

STATE OF DELAWARE.

r lottery—12 drawn balle \$37,500 | 1 prize of ... 18,000 | 1 do ... 14,000 | 1 do ... 214 lowest three number prizes, \$500. Ac. &c. &c. Tekets \$10 - halves \$5 - quarters \$2 50.

\$50,000 ! Lottery for the benefit of the STATE OF DELAWARE. Class 127, for 1857.

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Lottery for the benefit of the STATE OF DELAWARE. To be drawn at Wilmington, Del., on Saturday, June 20, 1857.
78 number lottery—14 drawn ballots. Tickets \$10 halves \$5 quarters \$2 50, packages of 26 whole tickets.

Lottery for the benefit of the STATE OF DELAWARE, Class P. for 1857. To be drawn at Wilmington, Del., on Saturday, June 27, 1857.

WE call the attention of our friends and the pub-

toomanor cotton, linen and twill content.

Also, a beautiful assortment of summer cravats, ties, gloves, and half hose in great variety, which have been selected with great care, and are warranted low in prices. GEO, H. B. WHITE & CO.,

May 14—cod2wif [Star&Stator.] George C. Thomas,

Commissioner of Deeds for all the States,

Steam Saw-Mills and Lumber Dealers, Harrisburg, Pa., A RE prepared to furnish lumber sawed to or-der, all lengths and sizes, up to seventy feet, and deliver at Washington. Georgetown, or any other point on the Fotomac river. May 19.-71d

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Select Classical School at Oxford, North Caro-lina.

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12. 66 pounds prepared India rubber, of suitable sizes

14. 209 quarte black sand

15. 50 ounces pounce

16. 200 pounds strong linen twine

17. 12 dozen fast ruiters, assorted

18. 12 dozen flat ruiters, assorted

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19. 20 dozen spinch levery folders

20. 50 dozen receved pen-holders

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22. 50 dozen barrel pen-holders

23. 50 dozen steel-tipode pen-holders

24. 50 house small cycles. Prench

25. 25 boxes large cylest, French

26. 10 dozen steel-tipode pen-handles.

For all the articles in class 6 suitable and convenient samples must be submilted, with price attached to each; and the price in all cases must include the deferoy of the articles of the department.

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COMPLETION of Panamia Railroad.—Reduction of fare to California, India and the convenient samples are seamed seamed by the very bear imported and approved by the Navy These stemability where here imported and approved by the Navy These stemability where here imported and approved by the Navy These stemability where here imported and approved by the Navy These stemability where here imported and approved by the Navy These stemability where here imported and approved by the Navy These stemability where here imported and approved by the Navy These stemability where here imported and approved by the Navy These stemability where here imported and approved by the Navy These stemability where here imported and approved by the Navy These stemability where here imported and approved by the Navy These stemability where here imported in the stemability of the stematility of the stemability of the stemability of the stemability of the stemability of the stematility of the stemability of the stemability of the stemability of the stemability of the stematil

SEALED PROPOSALS, endorsed "Proposals for Improvements at Ellis's bland, New York," will be received at this office until non-on the lat day of June next.

Bidders are referred to the commandant of the navy-yard, New York, for plans and specifications of the work; to be completed within six (d) mouths from date of contract.

Approved giserantoes to the offer, and survives to the contract, according to law, will be required.